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—A picture of the child selected, its life-history, regular reports and an interchange of letters with the child are among the privileges given those adopting a Near East Relief orphan, under the new plan of sponsorship orphan-adoption announced by the organization. Sponsorships are $100 a year, periods range from one to six years, according to the age of the orphan adopted, this gives vocational training and full-care to the child until graduated, ready to be self-supporting.

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LEGAL HOLIDAY

Sunday, September 12, is Defenders Day, and Monday, September 13, the day following has been declared a legal holiday. Consequently, on Monday, September 13, The Third National Bank will be closed, and notes maturing on that day may be attended to the day following.

W. R. HUEY, Cashier.

NOTICE

Having purchased a new "Nash Limosene Hearse" and all my equipment up-to-date I am better prepared to serve the public than ever. Satisfaction guaranteed in all cases.

W. T. HICKS,
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Sept. 11-3t*

SPECIAL NOTICE TO FOX HUNTERS

All hunters with their mounts will assemble at the Penn. R. R. Station Chestertown at 6.30 p. m., on
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 1926
to take part in the Carnival Parade.

WM. TOULSON, Marshall.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO BOY SCOUTS

The Boy Scouts of Betterton, Millington, Rock Hall and Chestertown are most cordially invited to take part in the big Carnival Parade to be held in Chestertown,
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 1926
Assemble at High School Grounds at 6.30 p. m.

W. H. ELLIOTT
Chairman Parade Committee

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Orphans Court for Kent county will be in session next Wednesday, September 15, instead of Tuesday, September 14.

S. G. CALDWELL,
Register of Wills for Kent County.

CAKES WANTED FOR FIREMENS CARNIVAL

It being impossible for the committee to solicit every one, and desirous for all to give cakes for the Carnival, those volunteering to give cakes please notify the committee.

MRS. FRANK SIMPERS,
Chairman.

FORS SALE

FOUR USED PIANOS
ONE BERG
ONE WILLIAM KNABE
ONE KINGSBERG
ONE DUNHAM PLAYER
W. P. NEWNAM,
Sept. 3-2t* Chestertown, Md.

MEAT CUTTER WANTED

We have a position open for a good meat cutter. Steady position. References required.

C. E. KIRBY
Sept. 4-3t. Chestertown, Md.

AN UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY

For a man wanting a farm, for 1927, located 3 miles from Chestertown on state road. See or write me AT ONCE.
Sept. 4-3t HOWARD I. REED,
217 Mt. Vernon Ave, Chestertown, Md.

FOR SALE

About 100 Single Comb White Leghorns Cockrels from pedigreed pullets from Long Island Poultry farm Long Island, New York.

MRS. W. R. STARTT,
Phone 816-F-13. Chestertown, Md.
Sept. 3-2t.

FOR SALE

Several young fresh Guernsey and Jersey cows. Aso ditching plow Saves 50% on cost of ditching.

HUGH B. BAILEY, Administrator,
Aug. 28-3t. Aberdeen, Md.

HORSE SHOW A BIG SUCCESS

IN SPITE OF THREATENING WEATHER BIG CROWD GATHERS AT ANNUAL SHOW

The annual Kent horse show was a big success. Before a gathering of 1,000 horse lovers from Baltimore, Washington and points on the Maryland-Delaware Peninsula, the second horse show of Kent county was held Saturday afternoon on the William Toulson farm near Chestertown. The event, which proved to be unusually interesting and keenly contested, was under the auspices of the Kent County Horse Show Association.

Trophies and prizes, amounting to $175, were given to the winners in each event, while ribbons went to those placing below third. It was announced by William Bowers, of the entertainment committee, that the net proceeds of $300, raised at the affair, would be donated to the Kent County Health Association.

The results, giving name of horse, owner and rider, follow:

Saddle Pony Class—Won by Nancy, Elliston Brown, Chestertown (Mary Brown); second, Tiperary, T. G. Keating, Centreville (Clayton Mitchell); third, Jack, E. W. Dukes, Centreville (Alfred Wilson).

Children's Jumping Horses—won by Nettie, James Williams, Chestertown (J. Williams, Jr.); second, Simon, Earle Nicholson, Chestertown (Albert Nicholson); third, Pony Boy, George Hendrickson, Chestertown (P. Hendrickson.)

Local Saddle Horses—Won by Judge, Mrs. E. W. Corwin (Mrs. Richard Carvell); second, Monte Blue, J D. Gadd, Centreville (J. D. Gadd); third, Bobby, W. R. Hubbard, Chestertown (W. R. Hubbard).

Handy Hunters—Won by Baby Lou. Miss Rowena Wood, Chestertown (Miss Wood); second, Blue Jay, Percy Hendrickson (W. Knight Jr.); third, Lady Fox, P. E. Story, Millington (James Story).

Open Class Hunters—won by Bobby, W. R. Hubbard (W. R. Hubbard); second Martindale, Alverta Brice, Chestertown (Miss Brice); third, Blue Jay, P. Hendrickson (W. Knight).

Flat Race for Kent and Queen Anne County Horses—Won by Monte Blue, J. D. Gadd (J. D. Gadd), Centerville; second unknown, W. Toulson, (William Toulson); third Figit Rachael Willis (Miss Willis,) Chestertown.

Open Saddle Class—Won by Judge, Mrs. E. W. Corwin (Mrs. R. Carvell); second, Monte Blue, J. D. Gadd (J. D. Gadd); third Bobby, W. R. Hubbard (W. R. Hubbard).

Local Hunters—Won by Lolly Pop, H. B. Strong (Mrs. R. Carvell); second, Martindale, Alverta Brice (Miss Brice); third, Blue Jay, P. Hendrickson (William Knight).

Polo Ponies—Won by Money, Chestertown Polo Club (Alverta Brice); second, Vamp. C. E. Hopps (Catherine Bozley); third, Rorberta Lee, C. E. Hopps (C. E. Hopps.)

Green Hunters (four jumps, three feet high)—Won by Judge, Mrs. E. W. Corwin (Mrs. R. Carvell); second, Lady Fox, T. E. Story (James Story); third, Rev, William Knight (William (Knight, Jr.)

Mule Race (one mile)—Won by Millie, Charles McKee (J. Hodgson; second, Adam, William Toulson (unknown); third, Ginny, Walter Walbert (William Blake).

Drag for Foxhounds (two-mile course)— Won by Buster, William J. French; second, King, William Toulson; third Rock, William Toulson.

KENT WINS JUDGING CONTEST

The State Boys' Club Dairy Cattle Judging Contest, held at the State Fair at Timonium this week, was won again by sons of Kent farmers. Walter T. Morris, Norman Pennington, and Wilbur Morris composed the Kent Team. Word of Kent's victory was telephoned County Agent, H. B. Derrick by State Club Agent, Mr. E. G Jenkins, with the following scores:

1st, Kent—3625; 2nd, Frederick—3540; 3rd, Montgomery—3403; 4th, Baltimore; 5th, Carroll; 6th, Harford; 7th, Anne Arundel; 8th, Garrett, 9th, Howard.

..Highest individual honors in the State went to Kent also. The Maryland State Team is composed of the three highest individuals, two of which are Kent Boys, as follows:

Walter T. Morris, Kent —1315; Austin Miller, Frederick—1310; Wilbur Morris, Kent—1225.

This team will represent Maryland at the National Dairy Show at Detroit early in October to compete with all other State Teams. The winning State Team will represent the United States in the International Contest.

Kent's victory at Timonium makes County Agent Horace B. Derrick coach of the Maryland team for the National Contest at Detroit.

THE FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL IN PROGRESS

Big Event Draws Crowds---Final Parade Touches and Carnival News

The second annual carnival is in progress in Chestertown and gives promises of even eclipsing the big event of last year.

The final parade touches have at last been completed for what is expected to be not only the largest, but also the best Carnival Parade ever held on the Eastern Shore.

Special invitations will be delivered Monday, September 13th, to 1500 school children and 60 special letters to the Teachers of said pupils.

Invitations have been extended to the Town and County Commissioners, All Bank Officials and Directors of Banks, Business Mens Association, Chester River Yacht Club, Rotary Club, Chamber of Commerce, Polo Team and Lady Riders, Fox Hunters with their mounts, Boy Scouts from Betterton, Rock Hall, Millington and Chestertown, The Cavalry Boys, Town Officers of Millington, Rock Hall, Galena, Betterton and Still Pond, and the Camp Fire Girls.

All children taking part in the parade will receive a souvenir of some kind which we trust will ever be remembered in their lives.

Now this grand treat is not the only thing Carnival will give and for those who attend on Saturday Night September 11th, why they will hear that great big Evening Sun Band. Do not miss this treat; you know what they did last year and they are better this year.

Our Thursday's Parade will not only have the features above mentioned but you will see many fire companies in line, more then ever before. They, in quite a few cases, will bring their own band of music, but that is not the only treat in music you will have, for the members of the Chestertown Fire Co., will have their own band out for the first time consisting of 45 pieces, all new. You will know them when they pass, they will be all white and a yard wide.

These boys are playing that night on $3,500.00 worth of instruments, being paid for by its own members and out of their own pockets. Is not this a treat and one of which Kent County should be proud?

It is hoped every citizen of Kent County and every reader of this paper will appreciate such efforts. They deserve the support of every citizen. They are the youngest band on the shore, the largest band on the shore and a record of 7 nights rehearsal to accomplish what no other band Master has done with a new band, many of whom never played in their lives.

These boys are at times criticized and there is lack support of some citizens, but they are Fire Fighters and never hold anything up their sleeve. Why when the electric storm occured last Monday Night, they were all ready to come and answer the summons; anywhere will do for them

Every electric storm keys them up waiting for the siren to blow, but thanks to goodness it did not sound Monday Night and yet they were ready. Who knows when or where the next call may be from? Support them, back them up and above all lend your help.

SWIMMING MEET ENDS

BETTERTON LOVERS OF SPORT AWARDED PRIZES ON SATURDAY

At the close of the weekly swimming meet held at Betterton Saturday the following were awarded silver cups for having scored the highest number of points during the season in their classes. Elizabeth Crew, Betterton, 36 points; William Smith, Wilmington, 45; Joseph Mooney, Baltimore, 38½. They represented the girls' senior and junior boys classes respectively.

Following are the results made of the meet.

Junior Boys' Class (25-Yard Swim)—Won by J. Mooney, Baltimore; second, C. Smith, Betterton; third, F. Brice, Betterton; fourth, M. Minster, Philadelphia.

75-Yard Trio Race—Won by C. Smith, F. Loose and F. Brice, Baltimore; second, J. Mooney, M. Minster and M. McBorman, Baltimore.

Fancy Diving—Won by J. Mooney; second, M. Minster.

Senior Boys' Class (50-Yard Dash)—Won by William Smith, Wilmington; second, J. Mitchell, Baltimore; third, J. Lawrence, Baltimore.

25-Yard Umbrella Race—Won by S. Smith, Annapolis; second, M. Cunningham; third, J. Mitchell.

Watermelon Grab—Won by C. Smith.

Canoe Race (Men's Doubles)—Won by F. Kress and J Mitchell; second, J. Ford and W. Ambler; third, K. Hamilton and B. Beck; fourth, L. Horiwitz and H. Osman.

Fancy Diving—Won by F. Kress, Baltimore; second W. Smith; third J. Mitchell; fourth, J. Lawrence.

Girls' Class (25-Yard Swim)—Won by Elizabeth Crew; second, Anna Crew; third, Ruth Wilson, Baltimore.

25-Yard Flag Race—Won by Elizabeth Crew, Betterton; second, Anna Crew, Betterton; third, Gladys Hickman, Wilmington.

Fancy Diving—Won by Ruth Wilson, Baltimore; second, Elizabeth Crew.

LOST ON BAY FIVE HOURS

Missing for more than five hours in the wind-swept and storm-tossed waters of the Chesapeake Bay, Mrs. Rose Morsberger, one of the six persons who on Sunday attempted to swim from Tolchester to Bay Shore, was picked up by a fisherman and landed at a point on the Western Shore, from which she made her way to Eastern avenue and the Back River Neck road. While searchlights through the rain, wind and darkness continued to sweep the stretches of the bay near the point where Mrs. Morsberger last was seen afloat by persons aboard searching boats which accompanied the swimmers, Mrs. Morsberger telephoned to the office of the manager at Bay Shore Park of her whereabouts.

ROUTE OF PARADE

FORMATION OF CARNIVAL REVIEW WHICH WILL BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 16

School Children, Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls will assemble at the High School Grounds, Chestertown at 6.30 p. m., Thursday, September 16th.

All Fox Hunters, Sheen's Cavalry, Polo Team with Lady Riders will assemble at Penna. R. R., Stattion, Cross St. 6.30 p. m.

All Civic Bodies, Business Men, Bank Officials at Fire House at 6.30 p. m.

The above bodies will proceed promptly at 7 p. m., to connect with all visiting fire companies on West High, St., between College Ave., and Kent Circle or Kent St., from which point the entire parade will start and proceed down High, to Water, to Queen, to High St.

At the small park opposite the Court House, the children will be taken from the line and assemble in a body to be allowed to view all the engines and firemen. Their band will be with them all the time playing as the parade passes them.

No parking or crowds will be allowed near the children and this space will be roped off for their sole benefit and comfort.

SUMMER CONFERENCE OPENS

RURAL MINISTERS FROM FAR AND NEAR PRESENT AT SESSIONS

The first annual summer conference for rural ministers of the Delmarvia peninsula was inaugurated at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, when the first class exercises were held. On Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock a reception was held in Washington College gymnasium in honor of the visiting clergymen at which there was a large attendance of town and county residents to welcome the visitors to the town.

More than 100 ministers from all sections of the peninsula have enrolled for the various courses of studies and the college management is much gratified with its first venture in this direction. Dr. Mark A. Dawber, of Philadelphia, superintendent of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, is the dean of the faculty and is in charge of the various courses. Besides members of the college faculty, Prof. F. A. Felton, of Cornell University, and Dr. J. Nelson Norwood, of New York, will give lectures on Biblical subjects. The public was invited to attend the session each evening, when there will be a lecture and musical entertainment. The conference will close today, Saturday.

DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES

BY THE REGULAR ORGANIZATION CANDIDATES

The candidates of the regular organiantionzation ticket headed by Senator W. B. Copper have pledged themselves to the following declaration of principles and it behooves the voters of the county to read carefully every word of what is considered to be the strongest and most important declaration made by party candidates in the history of the county. Read the article carefully.

We, the undersigned candidates of the Regular Organization wing of the Democratic party, believing in the principles of Jeffersonian Democracy, and declaring that the use of the right of franchise in a direct primary is the best method by which the voters may express their free and untrammeled right of choice of candidates for the various officers of the state and county government, hereby declare the following declaration of principles to be the platform upon which we ask the suffrage of the voters in the approaching primaries to be held in Kent county on Tuesday, September 14th, 1926:

BUSINESS METHODS IN COUNTY AFFAIRS

1. We believe in the application of purely business principles in every department of the county government, using reasonable economy in administration without impairing the efficiency of our county affairs.

OUR AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS

2. We believe in lending every assistance to the agricultural interests of the county along the line of securing such legislation as will not only ease the burden of taxation now resting heavily upon them, but which will enable them to secure a profitable return from the sale of their products through the medium of a well organized and efficiently conducted state marketing bureau. We also believe that every means should be used to secure a sufficient appropriation of state funds as will aid the dairymen of the county in ridding their dairy herds of tuberculosis and their farms of hog cholera, and it will be our purpose to use every just and honorable means to secure such legislation in the next session of the Maryland Legislature as will result in thorough and efficient tuberculin tests of all cattle in the county, looking to the very best development of the dairy industry.

EQUALITY OF TAXATION

3. We believe in equality of taxation. We are convinced that the agricultural class of our state and county is at present burdened with a system of taxation which places upon them a greater measure of state taxes than is necessary, and believing that the present frequency of assessing property is both burdensome, unjust, and uselessly expensive, we pledge our best efforts is securing such remedial legislation as will prevent a reassessment of property in the state every five years. We do not believe in assessing one man's property higher than another simply for political purposes.

COUNTY TAX RATES

4. So far as the financial affairs of the county are concerned we do not believe that they have been conducted in a business like manner. We do not believe in declaring tax rates from the standpoint of political expediency nor do we believe in "padding" the levy list with fictitious assets nor in carrying over to a more convenient season items of county expense which should have been included in the levy struck last June, and which of necessity must be added to the taxpayers' burdens in 1927. We therefore pledge ourselves to a strictly business like method of conducting the County Commissioner's office by placing the county upon a practically cash basis, and stopping the almost promiscuous practice of issuing certificates of indebtedness at the close of each fiscal year which bear a heavy rate of interest and which become the main reason for increasing taxes almost every year.

GOOD ROADS

5. We believe in the application of business methods in the selection and building of good roads in the county either from county or state funds. We shall support every advanced movement which has in view increased mileage of hard surface roads, but we are unalterably opposed to making promises to build these roads in practically every section of the county, when we know that such promises made for political purposes are absolutely impossible of fulfillment. We pledge our influence in the building of stone roads in all sections of the county as the appropriations for the purpose justify, looking to the interests of the farmers and shippers first of all in their construction.

LAW AND ORDER

6. We stand absolutely pledged to law and order. We believe in the constitution of our country and so long as laws which have been made a part of the constitution remain we believe in their enforcement. We deplore the almost open and flagrant violation of the prohibition laws of our state and county as a serious reelection upon those officers of the law who are sworn to discharge their full duty in the enforcement of law and order, and we condemn the attitude of any one who refuses to protect the lawabiding citizens of our county against the wilful violation of any of the statutes embodied in the constitution of our country. We stand unequivocally for law and order without any conniving with the forces of evil and we pledge our efforts to put a stop to the deplorable conditions in all sections of the county so patent to every one.

OUR SCHOOLS

For several years past the public schools of Kent county have been victims of political influences. This was never more forcibly illustrated than during the past year in the frequent public discussions between the Superintendent of County Schools Prof. Lous C. Robinson and the Board of County Commissioners regarding appropropriations for the conduct of the county schools, the refusal to grant which by the County Commissioners has resulted in serious financial embarrassment to many of the teachers because of a lack of funds with which to pay salaries promptly, and which according to statements made in the public press by the County Superintendent of Schools has greatly hampered the Board of Education in giving an efficient administration of the affairs of the schools. We pledge our influence to the appropriation of sufficient funds with which to conduct the public schools in a business like and efficient manner and also to enable the teachers of the county to receve their hardearned pay promptly, and we shall never countenance the withholding of appropriatons necessary to the conduct of the schools until within a month of the close of the school term, and then carrying that belated appropriation over into the levy a year hence.

WATERMEN AND GUNNERS

Realizing that the oyster, fish, and crab industries are among the county's most important assets, we hereby pledge ourselves to use every legitimate influence to prevent any changes in existing laws governing these industries that will deprive our watermen of the pursuit of their business or that will in any manner diminish the revenue to be derived therefrom. We shall do our utmost to secure only such legislation as will develop each of the industries to a higher degree of profit, looking always to the protection of those engaged in said industries.

The sporting element of this State is opposed to the needs of the commercial fisherman we stand with the man who makes his living out of the water.

Believing also, that it is manifestly unjust to the gunners of Kent County that the shooting of wild fowl shall be permitted only two days in Kent county while the gunners of our sister county, Queen Anne, are permitted to shoot ducks and other wild game every day in the week, we hereby pledge our influence in securing legislation for Kent county that will permit gunners to shoot every day in the week, and we pledge equal protection to the individual gunner as well as to the owners or lessees of the gunning shores.

... AID FOR FIRE COMPANIES ...

Believing that the holding of carnivals in the towns of the county where well equipped fire companies are in existence is by no means the most effective means of raising the funds necessary to their maintenance, we favor the passage of an enabling act for each of said towns providing for the levying of a sufficient tax upon the property owners and taxpayers to provide for the proper equipment and maintenance of said companies, all of which are voluntarily organized by citizens who risk their lives in protecting the property of the towns without pay and with no other available means of maintaining their companies except through some public function or private subscription which, to say the least places the burden of said maintenance upon the shoulders of comparatively few residents in the towns. Our action regarding this most important matter will of course be governed by the wishes of the citizens of the respective towns as well a of the members of the fire companies.

COUNTY HOSPITAL

Recognizing the urgent need for a suitable place for the housing of our very efficient and helpful County Health Association and the Chestertown Health Center, where the sick of the town and county may receive capable and efficiency medical and surgical attention, we pledge ourselves to aid in every way possible the establishment of a County Hospital in Chestertown, and promise to use our effort to secure such an appropriation for its needs in the next session of the Maryland Legislature as will afford it an opportunity for developing a useful and beneficent field of operation.

We, individually and collectively, pledge ourselves if nominated and elected to apply this declaration of our principles to every phase of our county and state government, and for this purpose we ask your support in the approaching primaries.

Signed,
WILLIAM B. COPPER, 4th Dist.
JEFFERSON D. AYRES, 5th Dist
ELLSWORTH C. BOWERS, 2nd Dist.
HARRISON W. VICKERS, 4th Dist.
ROBERT A. SHALLCROSS, 5th Dist.
SAMUEL G. CALDWELL, 1st Dist.
ROBERT MOFFETT, 4th Dist.
BENJAMIN W. DULING, 1st Dist.
SAMUEL C. LOLLER, 3rd Dist.
CHARLES D. WOOD, 6th Dist.
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WILLIAM E. BROWN, 7th Dist.
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MRS. CLARA WILLIAMS, 3rd Dist.
MRS. M. V. TURNER, 3rd Dist.
J. WELDON WALBERT, 7th Dist.
WILLIAM B. DUKES, 2nd Dist.
ROBERT M. LOGAN, 1st Dist.
GEORGE HENDRICKSON, 6th Dist.

PEOPLE SHOULD OBSERVE WARNINGS

DWELLERS IN COUNTRY ARE LONG SUFFERERS FROM RAVAGES OF MOTORISTS

The dwellers in the county are a generous, long-suffering lot of people. Year after year those owning property along the main highways have arisen Monday morning to find their land littered with postpicnic debris; their flowers missing; branches from their blossoming tree broken off, or, in fruit season, fruit that was for market taken away. In addition to this the mowing has been trampled down if need was to pass through it to some pond or stream; or the garden patch trampled underfoot. If such things continue the country roadsides will resemble the sign dotted area of the public park with its 'Don't Touch,' 'Don't Handle,' 'Don't Pick,' 'Keep Off' warnings.

"When the pleasure seeker comes to realize that he is the guest of the property owner and acts accordingly, the 'No Trespassing' signs will disappear," said a state official.

The true sportsman has learned by experience that nine out of ten farmers who post their land do so for their own protection, and that if asked for permission to hunt or fish on their land that permission is freely granted. In the printing of the cloth 'No Trespassing' signs, it has been our experience in nearly every case that the man who reluctantly orders such signs does it because driven to it to save his property. "I don't like to do this, but I have to. They tear down my walls, go thru my gardens, set fires, take the fruit and even cut my wire fences. I have got to put up signs for my own protection," is what the man ordering "No Trespassing" signs usually says.

WEDDING NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kendall Middleton, of Portsmouth Va., announce the marriage oftheir daughter Jessie to Mr. Wade Hampton Davis. The ceremony took place on Saturday, August 21, at four o'clock, at the study of the Freemason St. Baptish Church and was performed by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Sparks W. Melton. After a motor trip thru the Valley of Va., they will occupy their new home at West Norfolk, Va.

A marriage license was issued this week for Clarence Albert O'Neal and Mary Newsome, both of Kent County, Md.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles R. Kerr announce the marriage of their youngest son, Lieut. Maurice Stewart Kerr, to Miss Teresa Barton, of St. Louis, Mo., formerly of Texas. The ceremony was quietly performed September tenth.

The Young Men's Club of the Chestertown M. E. Church entertained the members of the By-Kota Club at a picnic at Gales Wharf last Thursday afternoon.

The September meeting of the Emmanuel Branch of Woman's Auxiliary will be held in the parish house on Monday evening, September 13th, at 7.30 p. m.

5,863 BUSHELS FROM 160 AGRES

Mr. George C. Johnston who resides on the Green farm near Kennedyville threshed 5,862 bushels of wheat from 160 acres of ground. Had this crop been threshed when the wheat was in good condition Mr. Johnston thinks he would have gotten over 6,000 bushels. Mr. Johnston is going to retire from farming and will sell his fine lot of personalty on Thursday next, September 16.

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